IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In Re the Application of: UITTERLINDEN, ET AL.		{	
		Group Art U	nit: 1634
Serial No.:	10/601,345) Examiner:	SALMON, K.D.
Filed:	JUNE 19,2003	Conf. No.:	5017
Atty. File No.:	New: 5588-6 Old: ERUR121089	AMENDME)	ENT AND REMARKS
For:	ESTROGEN RECEPTOR ALLELES THAT ARE PREDICTIVE OF INCREASED SUSCEPTIBILITY TO BONE FRACTURE)))	

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

AMENDMENT

Prior to the initial review of the above-identified application on the merits, please enter the following amendment:

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 6 of this paper.